**GSE SYSTEMS INC** Form 8-K September 15, 2006

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549 FORM 8-K CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE **SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported) September 13, 2006

#### GSE SYSTEMS, INC. \_\_\_\_\_

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

0-26494 Delaware 52-1868008 \_\_\_\_\_

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission File Number) of incorporation)

Identification No.)

(I.R.S. Employer

7133 Rutherford Rd., Suite 200, Baltimore, MD 21244

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(Address of principal executive office and zip code)

(410) 277-3740

\_\_\_\_\_ Registrant's telephone number, including area code

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[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e - 4 (c))

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# Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers

(b) On September 13, 2006, GSE Systems, Inc. (the "Company") accepted the resignation of Mr. Douglas E. Sharp as Director of the Company's Board. Prior to his resignation, Mr. Sharp served on the Board since October 2003, and during his tenure the Company and Mr. Sharp had no disagreements relating to our operations, policies or practices.

## SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

GSE SYSTEMS, INC.

Date: September 15, 2006 /s/ Jeffery G. Hough

Jeffery G. Hough Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer